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April 19th and 20th at the Dena'ina Civic and Convention Center

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Renewable Energy
Alaska Project

2012
SCHEDULE

Conference Schedule

Thursday, April 19th

7:00AM	Registration & Exhibit Hall Opens
8:00AM	Welcome & Opening
8:30-10:00AM	A Conversation about Alaska’s Energy Future
PANEL 1	MODERATOR Mark Sinclair, Executive Director, Clean Energy States Alliance (CESA); Montpelier, VT PANEL Nick d’Arbeloff, President, Advanced Energy Economy (AEE); Washington D.C. Hugh Short, CEO, Alaska Growth Capital; Girdwood, AK Kateri Callahan, President, Alliance to Save Energy; Washington D.C. Dennis V. McGinn, President, American Council on Renewable Energy (ACORE); Washington D.C. Mead Treadwell, Lt. Governor, Alaska; Anchorage, AK
10:00-10:30AM	Exhibit Hall Break
10:30-12:00PM	Financing the Future: Investing in Energy Innovation
PANEL 2	MODERATOR John Wanamaker, Principal, Alaska Venture Partners; Anchorage, AK PANEL Clark Wiedetz, Renewable Energy Director, Siemens; Norcross, GA Maurice Gunderson, Managing Director, Earth Energy Ventures; Orinda, CA Doug Kirkpatrick, Partner, VantagePoint Capital Partners; San Bruno, CA
12:00-1:30PM	Lunch & Keynote Speaker Dennis V. McGinn, President, American Council on Renewable Energy (ACORE)
1:30-2:30PM	Coffee with Experts A time to meet and sit down with industry experts and learn about the specific topics that interest you.
2:30-4:00PM	Government as a Driver: Programming Success
PANEL 3	MODERATOR Gwen Holdmann, Director, Alaska Center for Energy & Power (ACEP); Fairbanks, AK PANEL Mark Sinclair, Executive Director, Clean Energy States Alliance (CESA); Montpelier, VT Andy Brydges, Sr. Director, Renewable Energy Generation, Massachusetts Clean Energy Center (MassCEC); Boston, MA Peter Crimp, Deputy Director, Alternative Energy & Energy Efficiency, Alaska Energy Authority (AEA); Anchorage, AK
4:00-4:30PM	Exhibit Hall Break
4:30-5:30PM	Strategic Doing FACILITATOR Ed Morrison, Regional Economic Development Advisor, Purdue University; West Lafayette, IN
5:30-7:00PM	Poster Session & Reception Presentation by Begich Middle School Students

Conference Schedule

Friday, April 20th

8:00AM	Registration & Exhibit Hall Opens
8:15AM	Welcome & Opening
8:30-10:00AM	In Search of the “Negawatt”
PANEL 4	MODERATOR John Davies, Senior Energy Policy Researcher, Cold Climate Housing Research Center (CCHRC); Fairbanks, AK PANEL Scott Waterman, State Energy Program Manager, Alaska Housing Finance Corporation (AHFC); Anchorage, AK Yvonne Kraus, Program Manager, RePower Bainbridge; Bainbridge Island, WA David Hill, Managing Consultant, Vermont Energy Investment Corporation; Burlington, VT
10:00-10:30AM	Exhibit Hall Break
10:30-12:00PM	What’s in a Vision? The Difference Long-Term Policy Makes
PANEL 5	MODERATOR Fran Ulmer, Chair, U.S. Arctic Research Commission; Anchorage, AK PANEL Theodore A. Peck, Executive Vice President, Ku’oko’a Inc.; Alea, HI John A. Laitner, Director, Economic & Social Analysis, American Council for an Energy-Efficient Economy; Tucson, AZ Toby Couture, Energy & Financial Markets Analyst, E3 Analytics; Fredericton, New Brunswick
12:00-1:30PM	Lunch & Keynote Speaker Randy Udall, Co-Founder, Association for the Study of Peak Oil-USA
1:30-2:30PM	Coffee with Experts A time to meet and sit down with industry experts and learn about the specific topics that interest you.
2:30-4:00PM	The Cutting Edge: Alaska’s Competitive Advantage
PANEL 6	MODERATOR Jason Meyer, Emerging Energy Technology Program Manager, Alaska Center for Energy & Power (ACEP); Anchorage, AK PANEL Knut M. Aanstad, Special Advisor, UN Sustainable Energy for All; New York, NY William H. “Trey” Taylor, Co-Founder, Verdant Power; New York, NY Dr. Dane Boysen, Program Director, Advanced Research Projects Agency-Energy (ARPA-E); Washington D.C.
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THE BUSINESS OF Clean Energy IN ALASKA

ALASKA IS HOME TO VAST SUPPLIES OF ENERGY, yet Alaskans pay some of the highest energy prices in the country. The Business of Clean Energy in Alaska Conference is about identifying economic opportunities and finding solutions to create a more independent and resilient energy future for our state.

This 4th annual event brings together business, civic, labor and government leaders from across Alaska along with leading industry experts from around the nation and world and offers attendees an unmatched opportunity for networking and learning about the latest in the booming clean energy industry.

Alaska has both the incentive and the potential to be a leader in renewable energy and energy efficiency development.

We hope you will join us for this excellent opportunity and help create a clean energy future for Alaska.

CHRIS ROSE

Executive Director

Renewable Energy Alaska Project (REAP)

COFFEE WITH EXPERTS

An hour each day for attendees to meet and sit down with industry leaders and discuss the specific topics that interest you.

NEW THIS YEAR

ALASKA CLEAN ENERGY DEVELOPMENT POSTER SESSION

A special poster session devoted to highlighting the research, projects, and programs that are helping shape Alaska's clean energy future.

NEW THIS YEAR

FREE EXHIBIT HALL

A free exhibit hall open to the public featuring organizations and companies in the clean energy industry from around Alaska and the nation.

